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Mr. President

for 5714 Attached are several papers for your lanch with Lord Home. At Tab 1 is George Ball's paper on the Congo. At Tab 2 is a note from George Ball on the supposed communication from Lord Home to Tshombe. At Tab 3 is a paper, also by George Ball, on Southern Rhodesia and a copy of the note which Adlai Stevenson gave to Lord Home last night. At Tab 4 are the most recent cables from the Congo on McGhee's mission. As of now we expect Tshombe to be back in Elisabethville either tomorrow or Monday and to be seen by Dean (our Consul), Gardiner (UN) and McGhee, in that order.

At Tab 5 is the intelligence material you requested on the Katangan Air Force. Cia paper

At Tab 6 is a letter to Dean from Tshombe which just came in. It will give you the flavor of his present mood. Ei, 511

At Tab 7 is a note by George Ball on UN bonds which you might want to bring up with Home.

At Tab 8 is Etate's briefing paper on UK trade and shipping with Cuba. Log 5693

While there are other things, such as Berlin, nuclear testing, or NATO discussion of MRBMs, which might arise, there are no papers on these that appear useful.

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